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National Council of Negro Women.
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COUNCIL OF NEGRO WOMEN HAS SESSION

Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune
Reelected President of
National Body

Sadie Mays, and Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, president of the council. Dean Lucy D. Slowe, executive secretary of the council, represented the National Association of College Women.

The council decided to consider holding the first annual meeting in October in New York city.

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WASHINGTON. —At the call of the president, Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, the National Council of Negro Women met in a dinner session at Howard University on April 29 for the purpose of adopting a constitution and electing officers. The constitution committee, headed by Dean Lucy D. Slowe, made its report and after the consideration the constitution was adopted.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Mary McLeod Bethune, Daytona Beach, president; Mrs. Clara Burrill Bruce, New York, first vice president; Mrs. Christine Smith, Detroit, second vice president; Dr. Eudora Ashburn, Chicago, third vice president; Mrs. Mary Church Terrell, Washington, fourth vice president; Mrs. Florence K. Williamson, New York, recording secretary; Dean Lucy D. Slowe, Washington, executive secretary, and Mrs. Addie W. Dickerson, Philadelphia, treasurer.

Noted Women Present

The following persons were present: Mrs. Julia West Hamilton, representing Women's Chrispus Attucks association; Mrs. Marion C. Hope, The Neighborhood Union; Mrs. Charles H. Wesley, Woman's Parent Mite Missionary Society; Dr. Eudora Ashburn, Sigma Gamma Rho sorority; Mrs. Ethel Harris Grubbs, Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority; Mrs. Mary S. Whitfield, Mrs. Florence K. Williamson, Mrs. Mary S. Whitfield, Mrs. Lola M. Parker, and Miss Marguerite E. Harvey, Iota Phi Lambda sorority; Mrs. Addie W. Dickerson, The International Association of Darker Races; Mrs. Blanche A. Washington, National Association of Colored Women; Miss Charlotte K. May, and Miss S. A. Coulbourne, The National Association of Colored Graduate Nurses.

Others present were: Mrs. Georgia D. Johnson, Mrs. Mary Church Terrell, Miss Mary P. Burrill, Mrs.